



"Save The Forest" Week April 18th to 24th.

A MESSAGE FROM THE MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR

May I appeal especially to those dwelling in communities in or adjacent to the forest; in other words to the people who know and use the forest in their daily life and work. Because of long familiarity with an apparently boundless extent of woodland, such persons may be prone to forget the enormous areas of our country where no forests occur and the necessity there is for care and wise use, not only that the needs of our own country may be met, but that we may benefit from the impending world shortage in timber supplies. For every resident who is neighbour to the forest, for the fisherman who whips a forest stream, for the hunter who roams our woodland, for the woods worker, and above all for the settler who must use fire as a means to clear his homestead, I have this message—"Remember, what may appear to be useless to-day may become valuable to-morrow. The forest vies with the wheat field as the emblem of Canada's prosperity. Be not among those who 'cannot see the forest for the trees'."

The great menace to the forest is fire—or rather the criminally careless use of fire which, to our shame be it said, is the cause of 90 per cent of our forest fires in Canada to-day. The bandit, or outlaw, having committed a crime, seeks to make a get-away from the vicinity of his nefarious deed and to escape to distant parts of the country. Why? Not solely because he has transgressed the law, but because he knows he will be delivered to justice by an outraged public opinion. Hence the bandit travels secretly by night, hiding in fields and hedgerows by day, in order that he may escape his just deserts.

In what respect does the fire outlaw—and in that category I place not only the malicious incendiary, who is rare indeed, but every careless or thoughtless person who allows fire to escape into the forest—in what respect, I say, does the fire outlaw differ from the ordinary bandit? In one way only—he robs not directly nor deliberately, but indirectly through carelessness or failure to realize the possibilities of his act. But he robs, and sometimes kills, just as surely as the other. He steals the job from the workman, the bread from the mouths of the workman's family, the raw material from the factory, the freight from the railways, the tourist attractions from the community, the revenue from the Government, and finally, he extracts from you and me the money required by the country in extra taxation to make up for all these losses.

Is there any fundamental difference in result between robbery by fire and robbery by violence? Why then, is the one countenanced by public indifference, whilst the other is denounced by public opinion? The reason is that the people of Canada, and especially those who, living in or near the forest should know better, still look upon a forest fire as a natural phenomenon, as an "act of God!" if you will. We have not yet really analyzed the situation; we have not segregated cause from effect; we have not become thoroughly seized of the fact, as stated in the Royal Proclamation, "that in truth, not fire but the hand that lights it is the public enemy."

I repeat—90 per cent of the forest fires in Canada are caused by human agency. When these fires are regarded in the minds of the people as criminally wrong and entirely preventable, then and then only will they be eliminated from the forest. When the whole population is as determined to abolish robbery by fire as it is to abolish robbery by violence, then forest fires will be as few and far between as are these other outrages. Here then, in the development of a public consciousness that will demand strict accountability for carelessness with fire in the forest, lies the opportunity and duty of every citizen,—and to that duty and opportunity, Save-the-Forest-Week is a clarion call.

CHARLES STEWART,
Minister of the Interior

TRIBUTE TO A TREE

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City Fathers Have Busy and Lengthy Session.

A regular meeting of the Town Council took place on Wednesday evening, April 14th. Present, Mayor Burns, Councillors Johnson, J. Moore, Rushton, and Pattinson. Minutes of previous meeting were read and on motion of Moore and Johnson adopted.

On motion of Pattinson and J. Moore, the secretary was instructed to purchase a road grader from J. C. Adams, Calgary, for \$615; on best terms possible.

On motion of J. Moore and Johnson it was decided that R. Pattinson & Co. be appointed auditors for 1926 at a fee of \$175.

A communication was read from the deputy minister of municipal affairs instructing the Town to increase their assessment by \$12,000. On motion of Rushton and Pattinson, the assessor was instructed to complete the tax roll the additional tax to be paid out of current revenue and the extra levy be made in 1927.

The communication from Coleman Light & Water Company re payment of water rates, it was moved by J. Moore and Pattinson that the mayor appoint a committee to meet the management of the company.

Committee appointed consists of Mayor Burns, Councillors Pattinson and J. Moore.

On motion of Pattinson-Rushton the secretary was instructed to reply to a letter from T. Meridian notifying him that the land is outside the limits of the town and council cannot carry out his request.

Councillor Johnson gave notice of a motion to be brought before council, bringing in a by-law to close a portion of Victoria avenue.

The auditor's report for the 12 months ending Dec. 31, 1925, was read, and on motion of J. Moore and Pattinson was adopted and the secretary was instructed to secure estimates for having same published and also copies in pamphlet form for distribution amongst the ratepayers.

On motion of J. Moore-Rushton the secretary treasurer's report on revenue covering the first three months of this year was approved. The following sections were, on motion of J. Moore-Pattinson, ordered to be passed on to the heads of each department and then to the finance committee, and if found correct, to be paid:

Coleman Cash Grocery	75
A. M. Morrison	4 50
Western Municipal News	65 15
Lethbridge Herald	6 45
R. Peterson & Co.	43 75
Workmens' Comp. Board	45 00
Gutta Perca Rubber Co.	12 10
Canadian General Electric	36 99
Coleman Meat Market	8 25
Coleman Trading Company	96 25
J. Stewalak	18 70

It was moved by Coun. J. Moore seconded by Coun. Johnson that the secretary be instructed to write the Coleman Light & Water Co. in connection with hydrants in West Coleman.

Moved by Johnson-Rushton that John Haddin, Calgary, be appointed to audit the books of the Coleman Light & Water Co.

Moved by Councillors Pattinson and Rushton that Mayor Burns and Councillor Moore, be requested to look over proposed road in West Coleman. This road will link up with what is known as the Red Trail.

Council then adjourned.

Mr. John Haddin, civil engineer of Calgary, who supervised the construction for the Town of the new light and water system, is in town in connection with auditing the books of the Coleman Light & Water Co.

Coleman Forest Ranger Has a Splendid Display

Forest Ranger H. Boulton is to be complimented on the splendid window arranged at the Coleman Hardware Company's store on Main street, this week in connection with "Save The Forest" campaign which is being waged over the entire north American continent April 18 to 24.

The window contains specimens of all the various trees native in this part of Alberta and include white pine, Douglas fir, jack pine, white poplar, western larch, englemann spruce, balsam poplar, black birch and balsam. There are also numerous specimens of hard and soft wood as it appears after having been manufactured into lumber and ready for the builder.

Many splendid specimens of animal life found in the forests of Alberta are included in the display and add much to its attractiveness. Among those on view with the names of parties contributing name were noticed: Mule Deer, Big Horn Sheep, Mountain Goat, West John Sheep, Mule Deer, Wm. Antel; Mule Deer, Jas. Lot; Grizzly Bear, Badger, Owl, Coyote, Partridge, A. Sapeta; Owl, Jas. Lot. Other interesting exhibits included a government forestry compass, fire ranger's portable telephone, a pack saddle rope hook made from a Lesser Slave Lake moose horn, and an old buffalo head.

Interpersed among the various exhibits appeared many striking posters and other literature vividly impressing on the reader the value of Canada's forest wealth and the care with fire in the forests in order that this great wealth may be properly utilized and not wasted. Local efforts of this nature giving such a clear cut illustration of the untold value of keeping our forests green, together with the work being done in the wider field by the forestry branch of the Dominion government, will no doubt help materially in reducing our annual loss from fire caused by carelessness.

Local People Enjoy Hearing New Orthophonic Victrola

Invitations were issued early this week by Mr. R. G. Powell to local people to attend a private demonstration of the new Orthophonic Victrola, in the K. of P. hall on Wednesday evening. Many arrived themselves of Mr. Powell's kind hospitality, and spent a very pleasant evening enjoying the splendid music program arranged by Mr. Radcliffe, special representative of the Victor Talking Machine Company.

The selections rendered on this new machine included vocal solos, instrumental solos, orchestra and band numbers by the most noted artists in the world, and all those who were present last evening were unanimous in their verdict that the new Orthophonic Victrola has no equal in either volume or clarity of reproduction.

At the conclusion of the program an impromptu dance to music furnished by the New Orthophonic, was much enjoyed by the invited guests.

The first of a series of midday luncheons to be held by the Coleman Board of Trade was held on Thursday last in the Grand Union dining room and was attended by about thirty members. The Rev. George A. Dickson, of Calgary, was the principal speaker and delivered a very interesting, witty and stirring address, which was much enjoyed by all present.

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND GENERAL NEWS

BOOST COLEMAN!

A real Coleman Booster never lets anything slip back a notch.

Trade in Coleman and at least part of the world trades with you.

Some of the roads in Coleman are also paved with good intentions.

There is no eight-hour day for a real booster.

You tell 'em Coleman. You've got one of the best hotels in Alberta.

Mrs. J. Haining returned last Friday from a visit to Calgary.

Mrs. J. Fairhurst and Mrs. D. K. Allan returned on Saturday from Lethbridge, where they had been attending a meeting of the W.M.S.

That the people of Coleman have the right spirit was clearly exemplified last week in the prompt action taken by some of our citizens in offering material assistance to the widow and family of the late John Harbour, who met such a tragic and untimely death. A helping hand extended at a time like this is indeed a praiseworthy and humanitarian work.

C. P. R. Agent C. W. MacKinnon is back on duty again this week much improved in health, after a couple of weeks' absence under the doctor's care.

Mrs. J. A. Price received the sad news Tuesday, of the death of her brother, Mr. G. Clarke, of Drumheller, who was killed in a mine accident in that city. Mrs. Price left Tuesday night for Drumheller.

W. I. Meets on April 27th

The regular meeting of the local branch of the W. I. will be held on Tuesday evening, April 27th, at the home of Mrs. A. F. Short, Carbonade. Mrs. Short will demonstrate a white cake, and the roll call will be recited of simple pudding. The Medinace A. W. H. McLeod, Wm. Fraser, W. Johnston, D. K. Allan and E. F. Gare will give a tea and sale of second hand books, plants, etc., in the Club Room of St. Paul's Church on Saturday, April 24th, from 2:30 to 5:30 p.m. Everybody welcome.

The funeral of the late John Harbour took place Sunday last. Services were held in St. Paul's United Church, conducted by the Rev. D. K. Allan. The many floral tributes and the large number of mourners bore silent testimony of the high regard in which the deceased was held and the deep sympathy felt for the bereaved members of the family.

Capt. Joseph T. Shaw, M. C., of Calgary, was chosen as leader of the Alberta Liberal party at a convention held in Edmonton on Wednesday.

School Principal R. G. Powell is on the sick list this week.

The U. N. P. First Aid Association are giving a big dance on Friday evening, May 1st. The proceeds from this affair are to be devoted to promoting First Aid contests to be staged at the Coleman sports on July 1st, being put on by the local Elks.

"SAVE THE FOREST" WEEK

Be careful with fire when in the Forests, this week and at all times.

Forest fires cause unemployment.

Carelessness on the part of campers and smokers is responsible for more forest fires than any other cause.

Put out your fire before leaving.

Put out your match, cigarette or cigar before throwing it away.

Do your bit to help conserve one of Canada's greatest assets.

Miss Edna Fairhurst is laid up with a severe attack of the flu.

At a meeting held at the Greenhill Hotel, Blairmore, the Musical Festival Committee rectified some mistakes that were found in the adjudication papers of some of (Grade 1 Senior Violin). F. G. Harris of Passburg, who was credited with 137 marks really had 138, thus entitling him to a first prize medal, and James McDiicken of Coleman who was credited with 134 marks really had 136, thus being entitled to a second prize medal. Both these boys are pupils of Mr. W. J. Lathbridge.

The reduction in the price of motor cars selling for less than \$1200 which followed immediately on the heels of the announced reduction in the tariff, is but another concrete example that a high tariff increases the price to the consumer and a low tariff decreases the cost.

On Sunday last the Rt. Rev. Dr. Cyprian Pinkham, D. D., paid his last official visit to St. Alban's Church, Coleman. His Lordship was the celebrant at the 11 a. m. Holy Communion and preached on the subject of "The Good Shepherd" from the Gospel for the Day. Later in the day the infant son of Mr. Frank Graham was baptized then a visit paid to the Children of the Church when Good Shepherd medals were blessed and presented to a number of children. In the evening the aged bishop visited Blairmore and solemnly administered the Holy Rite of Confirmation to a number of candidates who were presented by the Priest in charge, the Rev. H. Laurence Noble.

Say It With Flowers

When you require flowers artistically arranged for any occasion, at moderate prices, and of excellent quality, phone No. 13, THE COLEMAN TRADING CO., LTD., agents for Franche Bros., Lethbridge, advt.

Scout and Cub News

The 1st Coleman Pack of Wolf Cubs entrained for Blairmore on Saturday morning last, where they were joined by some of the local Pack and then journeyed to Coleman hauling their trek cart with tent. En route a halt was made, the tent erected, fire lighted and an al fresco meal served, consisting of bread, sausage and cocoa. Boys under 12 years desiring to join should apply at St. Alban's Parish Hall on Wednesday at 5:30 p. m. H. Laurence Noble, Cub Master.

THE ROSE "is good tea" TEA

You've been intending to try
Red Rose sometime. Why not now?

Canada's Mineral Wealth

Canada appears to be on the eve of a very marked development of the natural resources in minerals which it is well known the Dominion has in abundance but the development of which have, for a variety of reasons, been neglected. In this new era of activity in making these resources available for use, every section of the Dominion will, apparently, have a part, although the most noticeable activity will prevail in Quebec, Ontario and Manitoba. In Quebec, one of the largest schemes of hydro-electrical development in the world is to be carried out on the Saguenay River by United States capitalists. It is predicted that ultimately this development will rival the huge undertakings of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission at Niagara, creating additional thousands of horsepower. A huge aluminum manufacturing plant is being erected, with the result that an entirely new city will arise in the ancient province.

During the past year or two Ontario has been steadily forging to the front as one of the world's greatest gold producers, and 1925 proved to be a record year in this respect. Now with the rush into the newly discovered Red Lake district, and a great awakening of interest in the mineral resources of the province, and increased prospecting, the probability of a substantial increase in production and of the ascertained mineral wealth of the province are exceedingly bright.

Some of the most encouraging features of the situation are, however, in Manitoba. At long last, a large sum of money is available for development of the famous Pile Flon area. There is an immediate prospect of \$12,000,000 investment of a mining property with nearly \$200,000,000 of gold, zinc and copper in sight, including the establishment of a smelter, thus making possible the development of other mines in the same district, many of which are said to outstrip the Pile Flon in richness of ore. The Government and Legislature of Manitoba are co-operating in the matter of providing necessary railway facilities through the construction of a new line from the Hudson Bay Railway to the Pile Flon mine. A bill to incorporate the railway has already passed second reading in the Legislature.

In both Alberta and Saskatchewan increased interest is being taken in the discovery and development of promising oil-bearing properties, and while many of these are still of unknown value, geologists are convinced that oil will ultimately be found in both provinces in large and paying quantities. Furthermore, it is absolutely certain that to a greater extent than ever before the huge coal deposits in these two provinces will be utilized to meet Canadian demands and make the Dominion less dependent than formerly on foreign fuel supplies.

These developments are all highly gratifying from a national standpoint. As has been repeatedly in this column, it is only through the development of its natural resources that Canada can prosper, secure much needed population, provide increased traffic for its large railway mileage, and ultimately pay off its heavy war debt. Every sound scheme of development is to be welcomed and encouraged.

At the same time a note of warning to the general public is in order. Gold and other mineral discoveries have in them an element of romance, they capture the imagination of people, and arouse great enthusiasms. Men without any scruple take advantage of the resulting excitement, organize paper companies, issue glowing statements and prospectuses, promising to make oil or invest rich overnight. They never tell of the many who have invested and lost, but recite the stories of the few who have made fortunes out of a paltry sum.

This is a time, therefore, for people to be on their guard against the smooth tongued salesmen of mining stocks and options. Unquestionably there are good and sound investments to be made, but before risking any money people should make the most careful inquiry into the merits of the proposition submitted to them and investigate it fully. There are avenues open through which reliable reports can be obtained, and advantage should be taken of these before any money is paid over, or any undertakings signed. As a rule, any proved mineral property should be the capital desired for its development. It is the will-entire who through sensational advertisements go out to catch the unwary and gullible, offering one dollar stock for five and ten cents. If it is worth a dollar, that is the price that should be demanded. The strong probability is that it is not worth five cents, or anything.

Canadians should wholeheartedly welcome and encourage all legitimate prospecting and development of the Dominion's mineral wealth, but, not only for their own sake as individuals, but for the good name and sound progress of Canada itself, should frown down upon and have absolutely nothing what ever to do with the professional mine wild-catter who knows little about mining or minerals, and whose operations serve to "under mine" confidence in Canada and retard its development and progress.

Will Auction War Relics

Amiens City Council Says Guns Have Become Cumberstone

War relics are now at a discount in France.

Amiens soon will dispose of one of the "Big Berthas," the cannon which hurled shells more than seventy-five miles into the city after the great German drive of March 1918.

The gun, which was captured by the Australians and given to the city along with a number of others of different calibre, has become cumberstone in the opinion of the city fathers. Failure to claim of the victory of 1918, having faded, there was no opposition in the city council to the proposal that the whole lot be auctioned off.

Long in the dream of childhood, the life of youth and too often the bankruptcy of old age.

EARACHE.

Heat an iron spoon. Put four drops of liniment and two drops of sweet oil in it, mix and put one or two drops in the ear.

MINARD'S
"KING OF PAIN"
LINIMENT

W. N. U. 1625

Outlook In Southern

Alberta Is Good

With Average Rainfall Farmers Should Have Big Crop

Despite high drying winds at intervals this spring, the early crop outlook is better in Southern Alberta than it has been for years. During September and October last, more than six inches of moisture fell. This was better than a six-inch fall irrigation over every foot of the countryside. All we need now is average rainfall during the growing months to make one of the biggest crops in history.—Lethbridge Herald.

An Oil without Alcohol—Some oils and many medicines have alcohol as a prominent ingredient. A sudden change of six essential oils compose Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, and there is no alcohol in it, so that its effects are lasting.

Open To Question

The world is getting more intelligent. How do we know? A Pittsburg University professor claims that "scribblers" and "scrappers" possess high mentality, and those of low mentality are good handwriters. Inasmuch as the schools today pay little or no attention to handwriting and are turning out scribbles by the hundreds, therefore, the people of the present are more intelligent than in the good old days of red penmanship. Maybe so.

Minard's Liniment used by physicians

Frenchman Will Try Trans-Atlantic Flight

Famous Ace Plane To Compete For \$25,000 Prize

It is reported that Captain Fonck, the famous "Ace of aces," intends to compete in the \$25,000 prize for a direct New York-Paris flight. He will make the attempt during the month of May, using an American plane with three engines of French manufacture developing 400 horsepower. The airman will take off from Central Park and land in the Bois de Boulogne in Paris.

Captain Fonck said it might be a bit premature to make any too definite statements concerning the details of the flight, which might well be modified before the attempt finally is made. "It is a big job to undertake to fly a distance of 5,000 kilometers," he said. "It cannot be carried out without the most careful preparation in every smallest detail." But the famous airman expressed confidence the project would sooner or later become an established fact and the two capitals linked together by air.

Agony Of Lumbago

Quickly Soothed Away By "Nerviline"

For the sharp, piercing pain of Lumbago, and the tormenting aches of Rheumatism, no treatment is so efficient, so quick to bring comfort and relief as good old "Nerviline." This wonderful liniment penetrates the tissues very quickly, sinks at once to the core of the pain, draws the blood from the congested area, and thereby relieves the pain in a short time. Those who suffer from stiff joints, swelling and Rheumatic conditions should use Nerviline, the King Pain Destroyer. Get Nerviline today, 50c, at all dealers.

Coal Production Increased

Total coal production for 1925 in Alberta was 5,832,471 tons, an increase of 679,000 tons over 1924, according to the report of the provincial mines branch. The report also shows that 1,115 tons of tar sands were taken from the McMurtry field.

Restored Strength and Former Good Health

Quebec Lady was weak, Excessively Nervous, Depressed and Weighed Down With Lumbago

Mrs. E. Boyd Took Three Weeks' Treatment of Dodd's Kidney Pills and Amazing Results Followed.

Dunany, P.Q. — (Special). — That Dodd's Kidney Pills bring back health and strength is proved by the following statement from Mrs. E. Boyd, who resides at Dunany. She writes: "I took your Dodd's Kidney Pills because I was weak and excessively nervous. I was unable to work without feeling depressed, was also weighed down with lumbago and had no appetite. It has only taken a few weeks' treatment of Dodd's Kidney Pills to restore my strength and courage and former good health."

This statement speaks for itself. Ninety per cent of the ills from which women suffer come from weak or diseased kidneys. They are the organs that strain all over the body and out of the blood. If they fail to do this, the impurities remain in the blood and are deposited all over the body.

Buy a box today. See from all druggists or The Dodd's Medicine Co., Ltd., Toronto 2, Ont.

McKinn's Directory Of Canadian Publications

Reliable Source of Information is Available For the Public

A McKinn Limited, Canada's largest advertising agency, has just issued the 1926 Edition of McKinn's Directory of Canadian publications. This is the nineteenth edition, the first issue having appeared in 1892, and each succeeding number has shown an improvement over the previous one. This publication is generally accepted as a reliable source of information on Canadian publications and is well regularly consulted for geographical and statistical particulars. Each year sees changes in the Canadian publishing field and as far as possible these changes are accurately indicated in each issue.

As a veritable effective preparation in Mother Groom's Worm Expeller, and it is given to the most delicate child without fear of injury to the constitution.

Construction engineers have found that men and women weigh twice as much when excited as when sitting quietly.

MILBURN'S
KEEPS EYES
Clear, Bright and Beautiful
Use Milburn's Care, In Every Casebook

Carry it always with you!

WRIGLEYS

Keeps teeth clean, breath sweet, appetite keen and digestion good.

Great after smoking
After Every Meal

Big Increase In Wealth

Canada Now Ranks Third in Per Capita Wealth

In a survey of the 36-year period during which one of the leading Canadian financial companies has been in business, impressive testimony is found regarding the development of Canada's resources, the growth of her wealth and the advance in her general prosperity. In 1890 savings deposits in Canadian banks were approximately \$12,000,000, in 1900 slightly under \$200,000,000, and in 1925 over \$1,200,000,000. During the period from 1914 to 1919 Canadians invested also in Dominion Government securities approximately \$1,900,000,000. In addition to these savings and investments in government bonds a huge total is owed by Canadians of Provincial Government and municipal securities and securities of other corporations, these being outside of moneys employed in their own firms or companies. Canada's national wealth in 1903 is estimated at approximately \$1,100 per capita and in 1925 at \$2,406, the latter estimate being made by the League of Nations and the United States department of commerce. Canada ranks third out of 35 nations listed, the United States showing \$2,918 and Great Britain \$2,459 per capita respectively.

These Canadian show considerable progress. Canadians are a rich people today, and positive signs point to a cumulative prosperity.

Will Refuse Rockefeller Gift

Egyptian Government Apparently Does Not Want Money For Museum

The Cairo newspaper announce that the Egyptian cabinet has instructed its legal representative to have a final talk with Professor Breasted, representing John D. Rockefeller Jr., regarding Mr. Rockefeller's \$100,000 offer for archaeological research and the erection of a museum after which the cabinet would decide the question of acceptance definitely. It added that Prof. Breasted had not changed his conditions. Hence it is believed the government will refuse the gift.

A Prosperous Farmer

John, on the Hanna-Brunner line of the Canadian National Railways, last year threshed 3,260 bushels of wheat from 110 acres of stubble land. He also had 180 acres of summer legume and hay thrashed from the 290-acre total of 10,000 bushels of grain.

Her Nerves Were "All Broken Up" She Could Not Sleep

Mrs. David Gallagher, 37 Lyndhurst, after using a few boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, writes: "My nerves were all broken up and I could not sleep at night, and I would get up out of bed and walk the floor for hours at a time."

After Using a Box of

MILBURN'S HEART NERVE PILLS

I began To Feel Much Better, after using a few boxes of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People.

R. & N. Pills have been on the market for the past 32 years; your nearest druggist sells them; put up only by Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Taking Squash Out Of Shoes The Boot Trade Research Association at Northampton, Eng., has announced discovery of a treatment for preventing patent leather shoes from cracking. A new method of taking the squash out of footwear also has been found.

Oppose Attempt To Scale Mount Everest

Priests of Tibet Have Closed Road to All Expeditions

According to a recent dispatch from London, the Dalai Lama of Tibet has finally closed Mount Everest against further attempts to gain its peak, the highest point on the world's surface. This means that Tibetan ruling authorities have reverted to their older policy of exclusion. It had been temporarily abandoned when sanction was given for the previous British expeditions, permission being granted after friendly pressure had been brought to bear by the Indian Government, and that recourse would no doubt have been again made had it been desired. But Captain J. B. L. Noel, the British army officer, who acted as official photographer to the expeditions of 1922 and 1924, is frankly skeptical on the point. "In his report he states: 'The priests who govern that part of Tibet are now definitely opposed to expeditions up the mountain. They don't like the loss of life that so often occurs, and they cannot understand why we want to reach the top. Neither the sporting spirit nor the curiosity of geologists, botanists and zoologists is comprehensible to them. They think that you have some ulterior motive which we will not disclose. I hunt for treasure, for example.'

MUCH SUFFERING FOLLOWS INFLUENZA

Health Can Only Be Restored Through the Use of a Blood-Making Tonic

An epidemic of influenza, such as is now prevalent in many parts of Canada, is a widespread scourge, bringing in its wake. The disease itself is dangerous, but the danger is seldom over when the characteristic symptoms of the trouble have passed. There is left behind depression of the mind, nervousness, weakness, thin blood, impaired digestion and over-extended nerves. Men and women who were robust before attack with influenza find their bodies racked with pain previously unknown to them. This is due to an abnormal thinning of the blood and leaves the system an easy prey to other serious troubles. This is the time when the development from influenza should build up the blood with a reliable blood-making tonic such as Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. When the blood regains its rich red quality, the nervous system, the digestive system and the damaged organs of the body begin to recover. The danger of influenza disappears. Proof of the undoubted value of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People is shown by the fact that a blood-builder and nerve tonic is shown by the case of Mrs. R. O. Stromberg, Cedar Rapids, Iowa. "I had a very severe attack of grippe, or influenza, which confined me to my bed for a week. On getting up again I did not recover my usual strength. I was very weak, had a severe pain in my back, and constant backache. I had to get a woman to do my work for me, and I had neither the strength nor the energy to do anything. At this stage, remembering the great benefit I had derived from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in childhood, I began taking this medicine, and soon my strength returned. I am now able to do all my own work again, and take care of my baby. I am very grateful that the Pink Pills have done for me, and hope my experience will be of benefit to some other sufferer."

If But the most powerful blood-building tonic begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills today. Sold by all medicine dealers or sent by mail at \$1 a box by writing The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

"Mosquitoes are a pest, but provision is being made to oust them, so that the British garrison, which will occupy the post, will not succumb to malaria."

"Already the necessary piers and railways are in operation," he said, "and reclamation work is proceeding. Two very extensive oil deposits have been laid down, and large-scale topographical surveys have been made in the neighborhood of the base. Mining and protective works are planned and an aerodrome will be established."

"Asthma Cannot Last when the great of all asthma specifics is used. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy assuredly deserves this exalted title. It has to its credit thousands of cases which other preparations had failed to benefit. It brings help to even the most severe cases, and brings the patient to a condition of blessed relief. Surely suffering from asthma is needless when a remedy like this is so easily secured."

If the average woman hasn't anything else to talk about, she talks about all the time.

The burzio is a recently developed animal, a cross between the llama and the alpaca of Peru.

Niagara's Thunder Measured

Noisiest and Quietest Points Found by Scientific Calculation

The thundering roar of Niagara Falls has been scientifically measured. The tests showed that the two noisiest points about the cataracts were at the foot of the American Falls at Prospect Point and directly in front of the Cave of the Winds below Goat Island. The noise measurement at both these points was 70 units, generally classified as a deafening noise.

The quietest point about the falls is at Terrapin Point, the extreme southwest corner of Goat Island, where the registration showed 45 units. The second loudest point found by the tests was at the top of the falls near the Cave of the Winds at Goat Island where the measurement is 60 units.

The top of the falls at Prospect Point shows 52 units.

The tests were made by the audiometer, a specially constructed device.

"Mummy, isn't that monkey like Grandpa?"

"Hush, darling! You mustn't say things like that."

"But the monkey can't understand what he mummy?"

Ringling Brothers began their circus career by showing a goat called Billy Rainbow at an admission charge of one cent.

It's a poor memory that doesn't allow a man to forget what he owes.

Minard's Liniment for sore throat

Baby's care

Write for our free booklet on Baby's care and feeding.

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TAX REDUCTION ANNOUNCED IN BUDGET SPEECH

Ottawa.—Hon. J. A. Robb, minister of finance, in the House of Commons brought down a budget in which he announced tax reduction affecting all classes, estimated at \$25,000,000. In this Mr. Robb announced reductions all along the line. The exemption for the married man is increased \$1,000 to \$3,000. In a revision of the income war tax a distinction will be made between yearly earnings and income derived from investments.

In his review of Dominion finances for the last fiscal year Mr. Robb announced:

1.—Increase in ordinary revenue of \$29,865,420.

2.—Surplus of ordinary revenue over ordinary expenditure of \$55,000,000.

3.—Net capital expenditure for the year \$16,935,000; special expenditures \$1,155,000.

4.—Surplus of \$32,510,000 on government services.

5.—Special war tax revenues, \$154,550,000.

Total expenditures attributable to war, \$162,987,000, or \$9,117,000 more than receipts.

6.—Debt reduced during the year by \$22,532,000.

7.—Canadian National Railway earnings for fiscal year \$23,000,000 in excess of operating and income charges. Exclusive of interest.

8.—Government assistance to Canadian National in fiscal year limited to \$10,000,000 advanced in cash. No guarantees given of floating indebtedness incurred. \$10,000,000 charged to net debt of Dominion as non-active assets.

9.—Canada's trade shows favorable trade balance of \$402,000, which constitutes a record for any year since the war.

Myers Is Acquitted

Manager of Bingo Mines Was Found Innocent of Charge

Winnipeg.—Joseph Myers, managing director of the Bingo Mines, Limited, was found not guilty by Mr. Justice Curran in the court of King's Bench. Mr. Myers was charged with making false statements with intent to deceive.

No evidence was offered by the defence after R. B. Graham, K.C., brought the Crown's case to a close.

The case closed with dramatic suddenness. Several Crown witnesses who had been subpoenaed were not called to the witness box.

At the close of the case, R. B. Graham, K.C., senior defence counsel, had argued there was no evidence against his client and made a counter-charge that Myers was being brought to death.

The trial lasted eight days, and all through the proceedings were marked with "conferable liveliness."

Suggests Interim Report

Would Reassure Men Whose Business "Suffered From Smuggling"

Ottawa.—An interim report from the committee of the House of Commons which is investigating the conduct of the customs department would have a restorative effect upon Canadian business, George F. Henderson, K.C., suggested to the committee. Mr. Henderson is counsel for the Merchants' Protective Association and he thought that a report at the present time indicating the steps that had been taken to check smuggling, would serve to re-assure many business men who had suffered therefrom.

Fear Forest Fires

Victoria.—With forests "drying up" during an unusually early period of warm, dry weather, and no relief in sight, officials of the provincial forestry service regard the forest fire situation on Vancouver Island with alarm. A lengthy period of drought, with high temperatures, is predicted by the Dominion Government weather bureau and if this forecast is made good the island may soon face the worst fire situation in its history.

Electricity Bridges Distance

New York.—Electricity eliminated obstacles of distance in the meeting of the International Electric Technical Commission, beginning the "value" of Secretary of Commerce Hoover by "telephone" from Washington and the words of Lord Balfour by cable from London, to join the greetings of speakers of many nations.

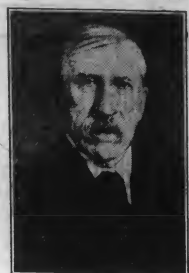
Insolvency in Hungary

Budapest, Hungary.—An unprecedented wave of insolvency sweeping Hungary. More than 1,000 business houses have failed since January 1.

Many Suicides in Budapest

Budapest.—Twenty-seven suicides have been reported during a period of 24 hours, many young persons being included. The causes given are unemployment and other distress.

Veteran Journalist Is Dead



COL. GEO. H. HAM.

Noted Canadian Passes

Col. Geo. H. Ham, Journalist and Publicist, Dies in Montreal

Montreal.—Colonel George Henry Ham, journalist and publicist for 25 years with the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, died at his home here.

Colonel Ham, who was in his 73rd year, had been ill since November, 1924, and for the past six months had been confined to his bed. Despite his poor health, Colonel Ham maintained interest in home and foreign events until the end, which came with tragic suddenness. A few minutes before he died he suggested that he be moved, changed his mind and then lay still.

Colonel Ham is survived by one son, C. Norman Ham, of Montreal; two daughters, Mrs. J. M. Beard, of Montreal, and Mrs. W. S. Darley, of Vancouver, and two sisters, Miss Alice B. Ham, of Whistler, Ont., and Mrs. Charles Nourse, of Bridgeport, Ont.

Alberta Legislature Adjourns

Announcement Made That Provincial Elections Will Be Held Prior To July 18

Edmonton.—The Alberta Legislative Assembly has adjourned after having been in session since February 11. But for the bill transferring the natural resources from the Dominion to the province, it would have been possible to prorogue. This bill cannot be passed by the province until it has reached third reading at the Dominion house. A short session to deal with the bill will be held on or about May 5.

Premier Brownlee announced on Thursday that the general election would be held prior to July 18. It is thought probable that it will be at the first week in July.

Following the change adopted by the British House of Commons, Alberta cabinet members will no longer have to seek re-election on appointment.

A bill was given unanimous third reading empowering the government to raise \$125,000 for capital expenditure and reconditioning of the E.D. & B.C. Railway, and \$1,200,000 to purchase stocks and bonds of the railway.

The telephone system of the province is the object of an inquiry at the present time. While the system is being efficiently conducted, the rates are too low to give an adequate return on the capital investment. Much of the "big" part of the system has been built as part of a colonization system, and there is a question as to whether part of the cost of this should not be charged to general revenue.

On the recommendation of the agricultural committee, the house decides that the \$122,000 surplus of the 1919 Canada Wheat Board should be invested, and the interest used for the promotion of agricultural research and development of co-operative marketing.

The House unanimously passed a resolution congratulating the Edmonton Grads, world's champion "girls' basketball team, on their successful tour of the United States, and wishing them every success. The motion was introduced by J. C. Bowen, leader of the opposition, and seconded by Premier Brownlee. It was stated that the girls were giving Alberta one of the best advertisements it had ever had.

Bishop Ingram To Visit Canada

Victoria.—Rt. Rev. A. F. Winnipeg, Bishop of London, will be in Victoria in September to lay the cornerstone of the new Anglican Cathedral to be built here, cathedral authorities have announced.

Move Reindeer Closer To Alaskan Railroad

Lack of Marketing Facilities Menaces Living of Eskimo Wanderers

Anchorage, Alaska.—A great reindeer drive which will take two years and for a spectacle rival the big trail movements of Texan herds in frontier days, will be undertaken in an effort to revivify an industry now menaced by lack of marketing facilities.

Under the direction of George Ashenfelter many thousand head of both government and privately-owned deer will be driven overland from the Arctic to Broad Pass on the Alaskan Railroad. The drive may be as large as 50,000.

A similar plan conceived two years ago by the bureau of education was abandoned for lack of funds.

Among the Eskimo who will participate are many skilled ivory carvers. They hope to create an Eskimo village near Cantwell, the centre of the southern reindeer industry. Mr. Ashenfelter plans assembling a score of Eskimo, women and opening a manufactory of bead and skin work.

RUST RESEARCH WORK CONTINUES TO BEAR FRUIT

Winnipeg.—Rust research workers continue their experiments to eliminate the millions of dollars to the agriculture of Western Canada, and at a conference here reports of steady progress were made. Interesting details were given in reports submitted.

"It is not expected that a variety of wheat will be obtained that will be entirely resistant to all the biological forms of stem rust and desirable from every standpoint," declared Dr. C. H. Goulden, a member of the research laboratory plant here.

Dr. Goulden, however, was confident "strains will be obtained which combine partial resistance to the most virulent forms of rust, together with earliness and good milling quality."

The finding of such varieties, said Dr. Goulden, would reduce the loss from rust throughout Western Canada by 75 per cent.

Will Have Charge Of Two Departments

Hon. J. C. Elliott, Minister of Labor, To Have Extra Work

Ottawa.—The department of soldiers' civil re-establishment, it is stated, will very shortly be placed under the administration of the minister of labor, Hon. J. C. Elliott. There is no intention, it is understood, of creating a department of soldiers' civil re-establishment in the department of labor. Official announcement on the matter will probably be made within the next week.

The department of health is also being brought under the administration of the minister of labor. This department, though, will not be absorbed in the department of labor.

Propose Rural Credits Board

Winnipeg.—A board of three men composed of a banker, business man, and a farmer, to administer Manitoba's rural credit system is advocated by Hon. T. C. Norris, Liberal leader. The rural credits now are administered by a government department.

Anniversary Of Confederation

Ottawa.—In the Senate today Hon. Mr. Lewis gave notice of a motion asking parliament to make preparations for the celebration of the sixtieth anniversary of Confederation next year.

WANT BLUE SKY LEGISLATION FOR WESTERN CANADA

Edmonton.—Another effort is to be made by the Alberta Government, in conjunction with Saskatchewan and Manitoba to secure action by the Dominion Government authorities in the way of blue sky regulations affecting share companies.

Premier Brownlee will take the matter up as one of the items of his forthcoming Ottawa trip, and he is expecting the three provinces once more will join jointly to get the co-operation of the Federal Government.

This effort will be a follow-up of representations made by the premier to Mr. Hon. Mackenzie King, asking attention to the new activity in all speculation and the danger of losses to the public as a result, and urging again the necessity of effectively controlling promotion companies.

Sample advertisements from Alberta newspapers at the same time were sent forward by way of exhibit.

Motion For National Banking Before House

Winnipeg Labor Member Asks For Approval Of Resolution

Ottawa.—J. S. Woodworth, Labor, North Centre Winnipeg, asked the house to approve his resolution for the establishment of a national system of banking.

There were, he said, three principal kinds of money in use in Canada. The first was gold, the second bank notes and the third cheques.

More than 90 per cent. of the business of the country was carried on by means of cheques.

Mr. Woodworth said business men as well as farmers' organizations were beginning to doubt whether the present banking system was the last word in efficiency.

The Labor member mentioned one large farmers' organization in the west which had endorsed his resolution, moved last year, which was similar to the one which he had just introduced for the consideration of the members.

New Pretender To Throne Of France

Official in Dutch Army Lays Claims to Mythical Crown

Paris.—Green posters upon walls of Paris buildings announce a new pretender to the throne of France, the son of Henry of France, Duke of Normandy, and now an officer in the Dutch army, who contests the claims laid to the mythical throne by the Duke of Guise.

The family from which both the Duke of Normandy and the Duke of Guise are descendants dates its royal connections from 885 A.D. Since that time it has furnished 39 kings of France, four emperors to Oriental countries, seven kings to Spain and 23 kings to Portugal.

The posters just put up violently attack the claims of the Duke of Guise, charging that the immediate family of the Duke of Guise paid for the execution of Louis XVI. and Marie Antoinette.

Charged With Espionage

Paris.—Two foreigners, believed to be Italians, have been arrested at Nice, charged with espionage. The main assets told is communication through Italy of an alleged plan to get back Nice, which was ceded by Italy to Napoleon III. in 1860, for his aid in freeing Italy from the Austrian yoke.

Says Technique Of Peace Is Ended

Military Training in Canadian Schools A Mistake Opinion of Woman Member

Montreal.—"We have developed the technique of war, but we have never developed the technique of peace. Increase the purchasing power of a people and you will stimulate commerce and end unemployment. War brings good times, but a terrible depression afterwards," said Agnes MacPhail, M.P. for Southeast Grey, who addressed a meeting here.

"We have dressed up a grinning monster in place of patriotism," she said. "War is made out to be the great adventure. We all react to military music. All want to do the knightly and heroic thing. 'Real patriotism is the contribution to our upward climb. It is a mistake to have military training in all the great schools of Canada. We are each personally responsible for the thrusting of a military machine upon the youth and children of the country. There is a general feeling that it has gone long enough, that we must get the military machine out of Canada," she said.

Must Make Wireless Tests Via New York

British Post Office Refuses to Let Canada Make Experiments Direct

London.—The British post office has definitely told us that if Canada wants to carry out wireless telephonic tests it must operate via New York. In connection with the agreement now awaiting signature the post office authorities have refused to consider the possibility of Canada carrying out any such experiments direct between Canada and Great Britain under the new Marconi beam system.

This is the statement of Mr. H. M. Short, manager of Canadian Marconi, in reply to the defence published by the British post office to the effect that the reason for confining the telephonic tests to New York was that only the companies there had the adequate facilities.

PROGRESSIVES OF ONTARIO TO HAVE DRY PROGRAMME

Toronto.—Meeting in convention here, members of the Ontario Progressive Association elected former premier E. C. Drury to the presidency of the organization and drew up a platform for the county to appeal at the next provincial election.

After much argument the convention adopted a resolution calling for prohibition "in accordance with the expressed will of the people."

The discussion, prior to adoption of the resolution, was ended by E. C. Drury, former premier, who asked what was the sense of elections if a man "cannot say what he stands for before he is elected." He thought he had the right to educate the people to prohibition. If the majority of the people were in favor of prohibition no one had the right to gild them, he said, to delegates who opposed the prohibition platform.

Lengthy and detailed criticism of the policies and administration of Premier C. H. McPherson was made by Mr. Drury. He declared that the redistribution scheme was a "gerrymander" by which smaller ridings in the province were curtailed so that the Toronto ridings might be enlarged and that Toronto was cut up into electoral districts in such a way as to give the "wet" forces element in each district preponderance over the "drys."

EXTENSIVE CUT IN AUTO TARIFF WILL BE MADE

Ottawa.—In his budget speech, Hon. James A. Robb, minister of finance, announced a tariff and tariff changes as follows:

Income tax reductions all along the line. Exemption for married men increased. Distinction made between earned and unearned income. Exemptions are increased from \$2,000 to \$5,000 for married persons and from \$1,000 to \$1,500 for single persons.

The income tax exemptions announced by Finance Minister Robb will apply on 1925 incomes on which the tax is payable on the 30th of this month. Receipts tax wiped out.

Penny profit to return on Dominion Day.

Sales tax removed from a number of articles and reduced to two and a half per cent. on canned fish.

Automobiles—Duty on autos at retail value not more than \$1,500 and on motor trucks and motor cycles reduced to 20 per cent. general tariff; 17½ per cent. intermediate; 12½ per cent. British preference. On autos valued at more than \$1,500, general tariff reduced to 27½ per cent.; intermediate to 25 per cent.; British preference to 15 per cent.

To encourage the Canadian auto industry, a drawback of 25 per cent. will be paid on materials used in the manufacture of the above-mentioned motor vehicles, provided that at least 50 per cent. of the cost of finished article is produced in Canada.

Plan Dominion-Wide Drive

National Campaign For Canadian Red Cross To Be Held Next Year

Toronto.—The people of Canada will be asked to give tangible evidence of their appreciation of the work being done by the Canadian Red Cross, when a national campaign to raise funds to continue the work of the organization will be held during 1927, probably in May and June. Rapid expansion of services and consequent depletion of financial resources make it imperative for the society to appeal to the public. It was stated at a session of the annual meeting of the society's central council.

As an instance of the pressure now being felt, W. F. Kerr, Regina, commissioner for the Saskatchewan division, told the meeting that no less than eight requests for Red Cross aid came out of the Saskatchewan communities in that province had been refused owing to lack of funds. Already the Saskatchewan division was maintaining 11 outposts.

Plan To Raise Warships

Vessels Sunk in Eastern Waters During War Will Be Salvaged

Constantinople.—An Italian salvaging concern has contracted with the Turkish Government for the raising of the wrecked ships of the Dardanelles and the Marmara and Black Sea during the great war. The Turkish Government will receive 90 per cent. of the value of the salvaged material, while the Italian company expects to make a considerable profit out of the remaining ten per cent. Nine of the wrecks are British, chiefly destroyers.

Arbitrator Appointed

Regina, W. C. Rogers, Regina, former manager of the local branch of the National Trust Company, has been appointed to represent the Saskatchewan Pool Elevators, Ltd., on the arbitration board to determine the purchase price of the Saskatchewan Co-operative Elevator Company's system. Mr. Rogers and C. D. Howe, the Co-op, nominee, will appoint a third member of the board.

Prospectors Going To Red Lake

Hudson, Ont.—The spring rush to Hudson will begin in a few days if the mild weather continues. Prospectors are arriving daily and parties are taking the winter trail into the scene of the gold strike are carrying canoes with them and preparing to stay until the water trail opens.

Over Million Japs Live Abroad

Tokyo.—Japanese living abroad, including those from Korea and Formosa, total approximately 1,100,000 recent statistics show. Asia has the largest number of Japanese with 688,000. In North America there are 153,000, Oceania has 177,000 and South America 50,000.

May Handle Cattle Imports

London.—Farmers in the north of England who are interested in the importation of Canadian cattle have submitted proposals to the city corporation of Hull concerning the feasibility of rendering that port capable of handling Canadian imports.



British Schoolboys for Canadian Farms

Here are some of the party of twenty-five British schoolboys who arrived in Montreal recently under the plan of the Canadian Pacific Railway and Macdonald Agricultural College, St. Anne de Bellevue, Quebec, whereby they will receive a training in the rudiments of Canadian farm methods and will later be placed on farms. The combination of college training and farm employment should give each student a good working start when he finally acquires his own farm. The group shown above was photographed at the C.P.R. Windsor Station, Montreal, on arrival.

Farm Land Values In Western Canada Advancing With Agricultural Prosperity

Increasing prosperity in the agricultural industry, with greater and more satisfactory farm revenue all over the Dominion, and a resultant re-awakening of interest in the acquisition of Canadian farm lands on the part of many investors, has prompted an earlier rise in the value of Canadian farm property of which there is every likelihood of a consistent continuance. According to the last return of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, the average value of occupied farm land for Canada as a whole, including both improved and unimproved land, as well as dwelling houses, barns, stables and other buildings, was \$38.00 per acre in 1925 as compared with \$37.00 in 1924 and the same figure in 1923.

According to reliable authorities farm land prices in Canada have been as low as they will ever be. There was a steady rise in the average value of Canadian farm land up to 1920, when it reached the peak of \$48.00 over the Dominion. In 1921 and 1922 it stood at \$42.00 and in 1923 and 1924 at \$37.00. Now a new rise has commenced. British Columbia values are lower than they have been since before 1911. Ontario values stand about where they did in 1913, and Quebec's in 1917. Prince Edward Island values are where they were in 1919 and those of Nova Scotia in 1918, while the value of New Brunswick land has risen steadily above 1920 values. On the prairie, values in Manitoba are where they were in 1909 and 1910; in Alberta are the same as in 1917; and in Saskatchewan, the same as 1915 and 1916.

The great inducement Canada holds out to farmers elsewhere to come to pursue their calling in her domain is that her new lands may be secured cheaper than farm lands practically anywhere else, and yet by reason of their high fertility outyield higher priced lands.

Thus, there are few sections on the American continent where land may be purchased at a lower rate than in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta, and yet these account for consistently higher yields and consequently greater revenue. Lands in these provinces, recorded as having average respective values of \$28.00, \$24.00 and \$24.00 in 1925, returned last year from the average acre and sold for about \$19.94, \$20.25 and \$24.09. In each case an acre of land sold for wheat practically returned its value in a single year.

The values quoted throughout are for occupied farms to some extent cultivated and having an increased value by reason of various buildings upon them. They do not take into account lands in every part of the Dominion as yet unsettled and totally unproductive, which are naturally of still lower value. These are similarly affected by the circumstances of agricultural prosperity and greater demand. There is every indication that pro-normation in settlement at the present time will mean that in even succeeding year land purchasers will have to pay a little more.

Horse Has Its Place

Services More Seriously Appreciated Now and Price Has Advanced

A news item published in The Globe a few days ago contained the information that, after ten years of uncertainty, the horse was again coming into his own, but it is hardly probable that the revival will be sufficient to bring back the village blacksmith. There is undoubtedly, however, a new alignment which recognizes Dobbin as having a permanent place in the scheme of things; that he is an economic factor as well as an animal of intelligence and beauty whose services are more seriously appreciated today than for a long time. If his reputation for slowness in this speedy age has caused his numbers to decline, he can find compensation in the fact that those who want his services must pay for past indifference, for his price has gone up—Toronto Globe.

Wool Growers Have Successful Year
At the annual meeting of the Canadian Co-operative Wool Growers, Limited, it was shown that in the past year the association had sold well over three and a half million pounds of wool for well over a million dollars. This was an increase of 1,225,000 lbs. over the previous year and indicated that 1925 was one of the most successful years in the association's history.

Prince Names New Horse
"Hard to Find" is the name the Prince of Wales has given one of his new horses. The pedigree of the animal is unknown.

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Trying To Discover

Mystery Of Sleep

Two Distinctly Different Kinds Says Dr. Curt Richter

A definite step in unravelling the mystery of sleep, which has baffled scientists from Aristotle times, has been taken by Dr. Curt Richter, of Johns Hopkins University. With a strange galvanometer and specially constructed electrodes he has been able to tell how soundly a person is sleeping without awakening him.

His experiments not only have shown that sleep is of two distinctly different kinds, but that there is a great difference between "real" sleep and condition in which certain types of mentally ill people appear to be asleep.

His research showed that the resistance to an impalpable electric current sent from hand to hand during sleep was localized almost entirely in the skin. This resistance increased in one instance from 50,000 ohms when the subject was awake, to 500,000 ohms when asleep.

The current was applied by two electrodes of zinc covered with a thick coating of paraffin, and saturated with a solution of sodium chloride, attached to the hands and connected to the strong galvanometer designed to measure the smallest currents. The experiments showed that the intensity of the resistance varied directly with the intensity of sleep. It was discovered, however, that when sleep was not sound the resistance of the skin on the backs of the hands usually increased. In these cases the subject was not refreshed by sleeping.

In the case of patients suffering from cataplexy stupor, who so closely resemble sleep, it is impossible to tell by looking at the patient that he is not asleep, a very different condition was found. In these cases it was discovered that the palm-to-palm resistance of the hand was less than normal, indicating an intense relaxation, while the resistance from back to back of the hand was very high, indicating complete muscular relaxation and lack of control.

From these studies it is hoped that a new light will be thrown upon nervous conditions, not only of mentally ill patients, but of relatively normal people suffering from nervous strain.

Port Of Vancouver Is Busy

Export Shipments in Two Months Show Remarkable Increase

Export shipments of various commodities from Vancouver port for the first two months of this year show a remarkable increase over the same months of 1925. Lumber shipments for the first two months amounted to 72,255,000 feet, as against 31,516,000 feet in the same period of 1925. Flour shipments totalled 258,681 barrels, compared 59,670 barrels. Lead and spelter shipments were 415,370 pigs and pigs, against 251,738 for the corresponding months of last year. Apple shipments totalled 47,264 boxes this year, as against shipments last year for the same months of 3,703 boxes. Only the figures for canned salmon do shipments show a decrease, and this is accounted for by steamers loading direct at cannery ports with full cargoes or completing cargo at other points after clearing from Vancouver.

The Real Thing

At a certain American factory, honey was being put into jars. On the bench was a heap of dead bees, and the curious visitor wondered what they could be for.

"Wal," said the manager, "I guess we put one bee into each jar."
"But why?" persisted the visitor.
"Because, sir," came the reply, "We like our customers to know they're getting genuine honey, so we just send 'em along the bug that made it."

Plenty of Farm Work in Alberta

Five hundred farm laborers from Central Europe were placed on farms in the Edmonton district in two days, at the end of March. In every case the flow of immigration is being well taken care of in Alberta and there is little or no difficulty in finding work for those who are unable to take up matters of their own. The cities, either through lack of money or lack of experience.

The stockbroker was very ill, and at times delirious. In one of his lucid moments he asked the nurse what the last reading had shown his temperature to be. "One hundred and one," replied the nurse. "Good," said the patient. "When it gets to 101½, sell."

World's Poultry Congress

To Be Held in Ottawa July 27 to Aug. 4, 1927

The selection of Canada as the country in which the third world's poultry congress will be held is a marked tribute to the prominence which this Dominion is attaining among the nations of the world. Only two previous congresses have been held; one at The Hague, and one at Barcelona, Spain. The showing of Canadian poultry at the Barcelona congress was so outstanding that the invitation extended by the Canadian Government to hold the next congress in Canada was accepted, notwithstanding keen competition for the honor by other countries. The preliminary announcement of the third world's poultry congress has just been issued from headquarters at Ottawa. It is a very attractively prepared and illustrated booklet which will carry into all civilized countries the better conception of Canada and things Canadian. The information contained is concise but complete, and the illustrations reflect the various aspects of Canadian life. Agriculture, naturally, plays a large part, but the scenic beauties of the country, and glimpses of its industrial and artistic development, have not been overlooked.

The third world's poultry congress will be held at Ottawa, July 27th to August 4th, 1927. Full information may be obtained from the minister of agriculture in each province, who is chairman of the congress provincial committee, or from Ernest Rhoades, Congress Secretary, Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

More Homesteads

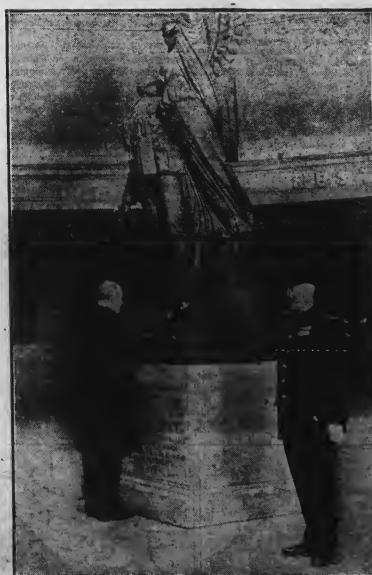
Increase is Shown in Number of Entries For February

Homestead entries in the western provinces in the month of February totalled 356, as compared with 297 in February last year, a net increase of 143, according to a report issued by the Dominion lands patent branch. The percentage of entries by provinces during the month was as follows: Manitoba, 36; Saskatchewan, 172; Alberta, 126; and British Columbia, 16. For the first two months of the current year entries totalled 626, as compared with 419 during the corresponding period of 1925.

House Built Without Nails

Held together entirely by wooden screws instead of nails, a large frame house of elaborate pattern is one of the sights of Atlantic City. It is the Michigan State house, built for Philadelphia centennial fifty years ago, and was moved to its present location after the fair. Despite its age, it has not been remodelled and is in an excellent state of preservation.

It is said that haste makes waste, yet you seldom find a hustler in an almshouse.



General Allenby Honors Fallen

Field-Marshal Viscount Allenby, of Megiddo and Feltstow, laying a wreath on the monument, at the Windsor Station, to the memory of C.P.R. men who fell in the Great War. His Lordship made a tour of the Dominion from coast to coast and his great popularity was attested by the enthusiastic receptions he received during his progress across Canada. The mediated veteran on the right is Acting-Sergeant Major, who served under the Field-Marshal in his Mesopotamia, Palestine and Egyptian campaigns in the Near East.

Natural Resources Bulletin

Planting of Wood Lots and Windbreaks Adds Value to Farm Property

A few acres of sandy soil, a rocky hillside or an isolated area cut off by a stream or railway constitute a gold mine on opportunity to plant a wood lot which, in the passing of years, will prove profitable and valuable to its owner. The proven usefulness of windbreaks and the increasing value of both hard and soft woods to the land owner is a factor that should not be overlooked, points out the natural resource intelligence service of a department of the interior. Trees will thrive on soil that is otherwise unproductive. They provide shelter to stock and to adjoining fields, and at the same time form a picturesque feature to the landscape. They beautify and incidentally increase the intrinsic and saleable value of the land. Except in the initial stages of growth, they require practically no care.

The federal and most of the provincial governments are prepared to furnish young trees and the advice necessary for their proper planting and care, so that the problem of laying out a wood lot should require practically no expense and little worry to the farmer or other landowner interested. The Ontario Government has been particularly energetic in interesting landowners and municipalities in the possibilities of tree planting. During the first year that the Ontario forestry department undertook the work (1905) some 10,000 trees were distributed. Last year over seven million were distributed to over 3,000 applicants and the results being obtained will, without doubt, multiply the active interest in this work enormously.

The work of the Federal Government has lain in the so-called prairie districts where distinctly pioneer work was necessary. Farm conditions on the former treeless prairies are now rapidly being transformed as the result of the introduction of windbreaks and shelter belts where formerly not a shrub obstructed the landscape. Fast growing softwoods have been used with great success, but to these will be added other varieties. It is not improbable that as a result of the new order, some day, not very distant either, will see orchards and hardwoods that so pleasantly and so naturally serve their purpose in the Great Canada extending also over the fertile and vast plains between the Great Lake country and the Rocky Mountains.

Negroes Who Have Won Distinction

A new "Who's Who" is announced for publication soon by an International board of council composed of prominent men of both the white and colored races. The title chosen is "Notable Negroes of America." The book, it is announced, will contain 50,000 short biographies of negroes who have achieved distinction in any field of endeavor.

Unmistakable Signs Showing The Remarkable Growth Now Being Made By Canada

California's Potato King Dead

Little Jack Top Up Waste Delta Lands and Made Millions

Death has claimed George Shima, multi-millionaire potato king of California, most affluent Japanese outside the Empire of Nippon. A little man of an alien race who had made history in California since his arrival as an immigrant boy 26 years ago. Shima came to America with his wife of a few weeks and got employment in the berry patches of interior California. With his first year's earnings he purchased previously secured delta lands along the "Sacramento River," near Stockton. People said he was "crazy with the heat."

But the little Oriental had confidence in the waste terrain of the San Joaquin, and today he is credited with the reclamation of more than thousands of acres of California land, and with giving to the state millions in net wealth.

At the time of his death he was reputedly worth \$12,000,000. He owned \$9,000 acres of California delta land. His entire fortune was founded upon the raising of potatoes, which he first tried out on the "waste lands" of interior California.

Wild Swans Entail Sanctuary

Only Known Resting Place in Canada Is At Jack Miner's

Two thousand wild native swans have arrived about the lake shore at Kingsville in front of the Jack Miner bird sanctuary, where they congregate every year.

Since Mr. Miner secured the site that went over Niagara Falls a few years ago they have been the means of luring big flocks of swans to the safe waters of Lake Erie away from the treacherous current, where they usually drifted over the falls, several hundred each year losing their lives.

The swans are the largest and most beautiful waterfowl on the continent, and Kingsville is their only known resting place in Canada. During the winter they are in the waters of North Carolina, and according to Arctic explorers, they nest in the Arctic Circle. The Royal Canadian Mounted Police patrol the shore by night and day, making sure that they are not molested by man or animals.

Wonderful Electric Shovel

Operated By Two Men But Does Work Of Hundreds

All known records for moving material with a power shovel were recently broken when an electric giant in a southern mine loaded 2,750 cubic yards of rock on to cars in one eight-hour shift. To accomplish this task the eighty-foot steel boom with its right-angle dipper had to reach down 400 feet, rise, swing around and empty into a car at the rate of once every minute and a half throughout the period. The rock moved by this single electric Titan would make a solid pavement on a sixteen-foot round a quarter of a mile long, and to load the same amount of rock by hand in eight hours would require an army of fifteen hundred shovel men. The electric shovel was operated by two men.

Grain Inspection At Edmonton

Expected To Exceed Total For Past Two Years Combined

Grain inspections at Edmonton will, it is graded, exceed in volume those of the past two years combined. As it is, at the present time a considerably larger amount of grain has been inspected locally than was the case for the crop year 1923-24, which stood as a record until this season. Figures from the office of the grain inspection show that between August 1, 1925, and July 31, 1924, a total of 18,750 cars were inspected in Edmonton, while in the present season with five months of the year still to run, the total has reached 18,068 cars.

Does Not Want Skycrapers

The city of Cologne does not want another skyscraper, the city council has decided. One, a store-story warehouse, is regarded as enough.

The majority of voters influenced the council in its decision. Skyscrapers, it was said, would obstruct the view of the famous Cologne Cathedral, which towers above every building in the city and can be seen from a distance of several miles.

Bashful lovers and kernels of corn usually turn white when they pop. Most actors prefer a small role to an entire lot.

Taboo's Canadian Reports Are

Canada some convincing and up-to-date evidence that the country is making progress in a business way, and at a rate not to be counted slow, according to a recent editorial in the Edmonton Journal. Here are some of the signs of improvement noted:

"Immigration during December last was forty-five per cent. greater than in the corresponding month a year before."

"Exports for January show an increase of thirteen per cent. over the figures for January of 1925."

"Twenty Canadian industrial stocks in January reached the highest points ever attained by them."

"Last year's wheat crop was the second largest in the history of the Dominion. Barley produced was thirty per cent. greater than in the previous year."

"The shipments of newpaper during December were larger than in any preceding month."

"Fur trim production during January was one hundred per cent. greater than during January of last year."

"Steel production for January showed an increase of thirty and fifty per cent. over the figure for January, 1925."

"Bottle-blossoms in January were forty per cent. lower than in the corresponding month last year."

These facts and figures do not represent a condition of stagnation, nor one of only slow and slight improvement. They are the unmistakable evidence of a substantial growth in population, production and trade. Canada has evidently passed out of the depression which followed the boom which followed the war. There is every reason to expect that the time will improve continuously and in all parts of the country.

Vessel Was Well Built

Still Fit For Use After Century and Quarter of Service

After 125 years of seafaring a forty-ton ketch built in 1800, in Cheshire, England, was recently sold and is still in service. The earliest history in existence, but for a long period she was employed by a Bridgewater shipping firm. From there she was sent to Bristol for fifty years. Jane, as she was called, was launched at Newcastle and Crimona Ware were slaves, and she regained her youth when the war of 1914 sent it all to every type of shipping. She saw service in the Boer war, was commandeered by the British navy, and her long life down to the fact that she was well built, of good old English oak. Sixty years ago, on being relined, her frame was found to be as sound as on the day she was built. Not many ships built today will last as long as Jane.

Invented-First Lifeboat

London Coachman Converted Norway Vase Into "Unimergible" Craft

The first Englishman to devote himself to the idea of constructing a boat of special buoyancy and stability was a London coachman, Lionel Lukin. As early as 1754 he converted a Norway vase into what he called an "unimergible" boat. In 1789, independently of Lukin's efforts, the first boat to be built for the express purpose of a lifeboat was launched at South Shields. Her name was "The Original," and she represented a combination of the plans, models and suggestions of a number of inventors. A model made in tin by William Wynn, having a hinged plunger and a teacher of singing, is still preserved in a South Shields museum.

Advertising In India

An advertisement that appeared in the columns of an Indian newspaper must be among the best examples of Bala English. Here it is, word for word: "Mahomedan, haircutter and clean shaven Gentleman, has shaved out with very sharp razors, with great care and skill. No irritating feeling afterward. A trial solicited."—Buffalo Express.

Artificial Fogs Frighten Norway Crops

Artificial fogs, developed for military purposes by a Scandinavian scientist, are being put to peace time use in Norway to protect crops from frost. The new fog is a blanket over trees, vines and other growth, thus preventing freezing.

Russian Doctors Unemployed

Ten thousand physicians are unemployed in Russia. Of these 6,000 are graduates from Soviet medical schools in 1923-24. Sixty per cent. are women. These facts are revealed in a government census report just made public.

WORLD HAPPENINGS
BRIEFLY TOLD

Luther Burbank was buried under the old Lebanon cedar tree that stands in a corner of his garden, across the highway from his home.

J. S. Woodsworth, Labor, Winnipeg North Centre, presented a petition in the house urging the payment of pensions to the blind.

The auxiliary schooner, *Elle Morrissey*, owned by Captain Robert Bartlett, of St. John's, Nfld., is being outfitted at Beluga for an expedition to the Arctic during the coming summer.

Silver plate and trophies from the German battleships *Scharnhorst* and *Leipzig*, sunk by the British off the Falkland Islands, have been discovered at Sydney, N.S.W.

Just after leaving Hong Kong harbor on a trip to Singapore, the British submarine *L33* collided with a ferry boat. There were no casualties, but the submarine was badly crippled.

The fortified island of Relying off La Rochelle, believes it holds the world's record for the scarcity of the bob among its female population. In a population of 11,000 there is only one bobbed female head.

Eamon De Valera, who recently resigned from Sinn Féin when the extremists among his republican followers refused to accept his proposal to compromise with the Free State, is forming a new organization to work for Irish freedom.

An air service across the Arctic, or at least the sub-Arctic regions, should be in operation within a few years, in the opinion of Commander George F. Magleby, who is in charge of the Canadian Government expedition which yearly visits the government posts in the far north.

Nearly a score of bills designed to change quotas under the immigration restrictions law were rejected by the U.S. Senate immigration committee.

A million dollar art museum is to be erected at Yale University to house the rare and valuable collections now in its possession. The donors are anonymous.

The directors of Barclays Bank, London, in announcing a pensions scheme for women employees, state that on marriage women will be required to relinquish their positions on the staff. They will then receive a gratuity equal to 5 per cent. of their annual salary for every completed year of service.

Convicts Whine Over Trifles

Modern "Bad Man" Not Old Hand.

Convicts these days are not the old hard-boiled type of times past—they were really tough and gloried in it and could take or give a blow without any fuss.

The modern "bad man" is more the afternoon tea and powder-puff variety who suffers from "nerves" and likes to cry about it.

This is indicated in the latest prison report of the governor of Dartmoor Prison which for generations has housed desperate criminals.

"The present-day convict is far better educated than his confrere of olden days," said the governor, "but his softer and more apt to whine over trifles. Assaults are almost unknown, but petitions are becoming a cult."

Favorable Trade Balance

A balance favorable to the Dominion was maintained in the trade of February, a statement issued by the bureau of statistics shows. In that month imports to the value of \$74,908,950 were recorded, while imports were valued at \$87,512,147. For the twelve-month period ended February 28 last, exports reached a value of \$1,297,744,653 and imports \$911,107,655.

A pedestrian used to be a person who walks. *Negative jumps.*

W. N. U. 1625

TIPPITY-WITCH IRENE



IRENE: YOU SURELY DON'T INTEND TO GO OUT IN A SKIRT AS SHORT AS THAT?

CERTAINLY NOT? NOT?

I DON'T KNOW WHAT THIS GENERATION IS COMING TO! SHORT SKIRTS! BOBBED HAIR! IT'S BEYOND ME!

WHY CAN'T YOU BE MORE LIKE YOUR COUSIN DORA? SHE'S A WHOLE SOME OLD FASHIONED GIRL!

YOU SAID IT!

SHE'S SO OLD FASHIONED, SHE STILL WORKS CROSS WORD PUZZLES!

INTRODUCING COUSIN DORA

By COLLEEN MOORE

Children Looking For Work

190,000 in England Have Been Released From School

More than 190,000 British children who had attained the age of 14 were released from school and placed on a labor market which has little place for them.

In the past children were permitted to leave school on attaining the age of 14. This released them throughout the year, and it was possible for them to be absorbed in industry and commerce gradually.

Under the new system children who become 14 during a school term may not leave school until the end of that term. This makes so many applicants for positions the same time that employees say many of the children must necessarily remain idle for a considerable time before they can be absorbed into the industries.



CLIPSE FASHIONS
Exclusive Patterns
by Hazel Rogers



Princess Frock of Charm

This one-piece model of Chinese dress has kept its style as simple as a smart frock can be. It just couldn't help having gracefully at the lower edge. The upper part of the dress is cut on princess lines, slightly molding the figure. The yoked front opening is a very important style feature, and so is the scarf collar and this dress has both. The long plain sleeves are finished with tab cuffs. No. 1245 is in sizes 36, 38, 40 and 44 inches bust. Size 38 bust requires 3 yards 54-inch material, with 1/2 yard contrasting for reverse facings. Price 20 cents.

The secret of distinctive dress lies in good taste rather than a lavish expenditure of money. Every woman should want to make her own clothes, and the home dressmaker will find the designs illustrated in our new Fashion Book to be practical and simple, yet maintaining the spirit of the mode of the moment. Price of the book 10 cents the copy.

How To Order Patterns

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Pattern No. Size

Town

Province

Send 20c coin or stamps (wrap coin carefully)

Name

Some people who are in the social swim find it difficult to keep their heads above water.

It isn't always the loser in a political contest that gets the swollen head.

ON THE AIR

What is Doing in the World of Radio

Exports of radio apparatus from the United States to the remainder of the world have risen in six years from an item of less than \$1,000,000 to one that in the year just past was only a few dollars short of \$10,000,000.

South Africa is expected to follow the lead of Great Britain in accepting broadcast receivers, according to advice. A heavy penalty will be imposed on those who fail to comply with the licensing regulations.

Station KPFF, Oklahoma City, has been made defendant in a \$20,000 libel suit. The suit concerns statements made by Rev. Lincoln McConnell while the station was leased by him.

Sir Harry Lauder, world famous Scottish comedian, was able to save the price of a telegram while in London. He was broadcasting from station 210 and, knowing that his wife who was in Glasgow was listening, he included a short message to her.

Radio broadcasters are eternally on the watch for promising material for their programmes and hold regular auditions for that purpose. Out of the ruck of the ordinary and average at times there emerges a distinctive voice or a splendid musician who compensates for the rest.

An interesting record in long distance radio reception on a moving train has been established by the Continental Limited, the transcontinental express of the Canadian National Railways, in picking up and holding for thirty minutes a broadcast from Vera Cruz, Mexico.

An automatically controlled radio telephone service is in operation between two private stations, one in Honolulu and the other on the island of Lanai, 60 miles distant. The system includes a bell ringing device to notify one end of the "line" that the other desires to converse. Power is supplied by storage batteries.

Healthy Body Able

To Resist Cancer

German Doctor Proved Statement By Experimenting On Himself

Cancer is not contagious when brought in contact with a healthy man body, in the opinion of Dr. Hans Kretschmer, of the surgical clinic of the University of Berlin. Dr. Kretschmer astonished a convention of German surgeons in Berlin by reporting that he had experimented on himself, transferring a patch of cancerous growth from a patient's pectoral gland to his own thigh. The cancer cells, he reported, died shortly, being unable to live in a healthy body.

Canada's Large Shoe Output

Statistics received by the bureau of statistics from 141 boot and shoe factories, out of a total of 150 factories in operation in Canada, show that 1,184,651 pairs of leather and felt footwear were manufactured during the month of January last. This total comprised 1,145,158 pairs of boots and shoes with leather or fabric uppers, and 44,493 pairs of felt footwear or slippers. These totals are exclusive of harrigans and shoesocks and Indian moccasins.

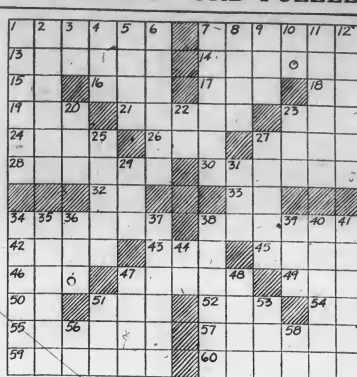
Sails For North Pole

Lieut. R. H. Byrd, who was one of the fliers who circled the world for the United States navy, has sailed for Polar Regions, his expedition being financed by several wealthy American business men. He will strive to locate the North Pole and will make scientific observations during his flight.

Study Of Dead Things

Millions of young people have spent years in school and college studying dead things without learning anything of the live subject of taking care of themselves, the most important in the world—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

OUR CROSSWORD PUZZLE



- Horizontal**
- 1-To direct.
 - 2-Retribution as a form of justice.
 - 13-Wears or gnaws away.
 - 14-Do excessively.
 - 15-Symbol for tantalum.
 - 16-Central axis.
 - 17-Age of an insect.
 - 18-Printer's measure.
 - 19-Turn of the warp in weaving.
 - 21-Quick; fast.
 - 22-The conductor.
 - 23-Fabricator.
 - 24-Muscular twitching.
 - 25-Sudden, noisy blow.
 - 26-Draw over a surface roughly.
 - 27-Thinly diffused.
 - 28-Perform.
 - 29-Vitality.
 - 31-Characteristics.
 - 33-One who restores to health.
 - 42-City in Nevada.
 - 43-Crude metal.
 - 44-Wash; bathe oneself.
 - 46-Tavern.
 - 47-Mixture of hall and rail.
- Vertical**
- 49-Aeriform fluid.
 - 50-Exist.
 - 51-The temple.
 - 52-Inclination.
 - 54-Prag; twice or thrice.
 - 55-Fungus of the mushroom family.
 - 57-Rubbed out.
 - 59-Ambassador, envoy.
 - 60-Riddle.
- 1-Constituent materials of anything.**
- 2-Language of the Arabs.**
- 3-Negative.**
- 4-Hubbub.**
- 5-Exactly; make ready.**
- 6-One's entire property.**
- 7-Medicines that invigorate.**
- 8-Rager or speed.**
- 9-Denial.**
- 10-Preck meaning not.**
- 11-Ancient Greek roofed theatres.**

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

APRIL 25

THE STORY OF CAIN AND ABEL

Golden Text: Am I my brother's keeper? Genesis 4:9.

Lesson: Genesis 4:1-26.

Devotional Reading: 1. John 4:12-13.

Explanations and Comments

I. The Occupations of Cain and Abel, verses 1, 2.—To Adam and Eve, two sons were born, Cain and Abel. The Hebrew word for "I have gotten," is Kanch whence our word Cain. Cain, a husbandman, and Abel a keeper of sheep, a shepherd.

II. The Two Sacrificial Offerings, verses 3-5.—The two brothers brought each an offering to Jehovah. Cain's offering was the fruit of the ground; Abel's, the firstborn of his flock, the greatly-prized fat pieces of which were offered in sacrifice. Compare Lev. 18; 23. The origin of sacrifice is not explained, nor is an altar mentioned. Man is assumed to be by nature endowed with religious instincts, and capable of holding converse with God. Worship was man's mode of approach to the Deity; and sacrifice was his outward expression (Dr. Herbert E. Ryle). "From the time of Abel onwards, sacrifices are uniformly, and with increasing clearness, set before us as the appointed way of approaching and holding fellowship with God. All we have the merit of our Savior Jesus Christ."

Women Doctors Successful

Dame Louisa Aldrich Blake, whose will has been proved at over £25,000, was only one of several women doctors who have made fortunes in medicine. A woman doctor in Westminster is making an income of probably £3,000 a year. Medicine is much more profitable for women than law, for there must be at least half a dozen women doctors in London making £2,500 a year.

A mad frequently loses interest in a subject as soon as his argument is exhausted.

Answer to Last Week's Puzzle

SCENE ANCHORS
ALL ALLEYS
URALS APPROACH
COAST FLEET
AD PAINS DAM
GLOBED HOTEL
L E L E L E L E L
SPINSTRIPS
SANT CRIES AT
ODD WIPED ALE
ASTON DAVIS LAR
T O D O E E R A N
STREET'S ROSES

Gov.-General's New Limousine

The Finest Car Ever Produced in the Dominion

The fact that the governor-general's new limousine, presented by Canadian war veterans, is the finest car ever produced in Canada is said to be largely due to the fact that war veterans employed in the plant at Oshawa where the car was built, made a special drive on the job.

Everything for "Byng's car" got extra service and the men put the extra work into it as their contribution to Byng's gift. The presentation of the car was not the complete story, for the veterans have also provided for its insurance and even its transportation to London when his excellency returns to the metropolis.

Perfect Strangers

Frank A. Munsey told a story about a feast that Jupiter gave to all the virtues. The virtues were very lofty and sociable at the feast, but two of them—two of the most beautiful of them—seemed stiff and constrained in each other's presence. "Accordingly, Jupiter took the one virtue by the hand and led her to the other. 'Benevolence,' he said—'your sister, Gratitude.' The two virtues were indeed astonished. This was the first time since the creation of the world that they had ever met."

Rev. George Dickson Gives Interesting Lecture

"The Folks Next Door," was the subject of an address delivered by Rev. George Dickson of Calgary, before a very good audience in St. Paul's church, Coleman, on Thursday evening last, and was greatly enjoyed by all. Rev. Dickson is one of Calgary's ablest speakers and the appeal he put forth for every one to better understand his neighbor and show a more sympathetic feeling toward the "folks next door" could not help but leave a lasting impression on the minds of those who had the opportunity to hear him.

In dealing with his subject the speaker referred to the time when scientists made the statement that geographically distances would never be overcome. But today, by use of modern inventions, such as telegraph, radio and many others, we regard the world as lying at our feet. Every country has a neighbor just the same as each individual has folks living next door, and he pointed out that we have an obligation placed upon us to understand these neighbors. Oftentimes, he said, we are not on very good terms with our neighbors and naturally

we blame them, while in reality we are ourselves to blame for not showing a more sympathetic attitude towards them and trying to understand them.

He mentioned the old Greek dramatists who laid the blame of people's downfall to outside forces, but Shakespeare took a different stand and placed the blame on the people themselves. He cited several examples which clearly brought out his point and the humorous vein in which he expressed them held the closest attention of his hearers. Continuing, he said, the same principal applied nationally meant better understanding between nations. One country should have more sympathy and respect for another country. Sympathy was the key note to success. No country could produce everything that the people eat and used and they could not do without the "people next door."

In art, jurisprudence, education and a thousand other ways, Britain had benefited by being associated with other nations. Conditions today present a healthy sign as suspicion, mistrust and bigotry are being frowned upon by the leaders of the nations and a better understanding is being sought between the countries of the world.

St. Alban's W. A. Hold Very Successful Bazaar

A successful bazaar was held in the K. of P. hall on Monday, April 19th, under the auspices of St. Alban's W. A. The stalls proved very attractive and the tea table was well patronized.

The raffles were won by the following—Boots, donated by Mrs. F. Antrobus won by Mrs. J. A. McLeod; Cake, donated by Mrs. G. Spoad, won by Mrs. J. Houghton; Doll, donated by Mrs. O'Neill, won by Mrs. W. Bosworth; Crocheted Centre Piece, donated by Mrs. W. Fraser, won by Mr. T. Lloyd; Linen Centre, donated by Mrs. F. Barringham, won by Mrs. G. Brown; Luncheon Set, won by Mrs. A. J. Morris.

There was an excellent display of needlework by the "Brownies" who have been working under the tuition of Mesdames Kay and Bosworth. Many of the children showed great promise in this direction.

The ladies of the W. A. wished to thank all those who kindly sent donations to the various stalls.

World's Poultry Congress

The selection of Canada as the country in which the third World's Poultry Congress will be held is a marked tribute to the prominence which this Dominion is attaining among the nations of the world. Only two previous Congresses have been held; one at The Hague, and one at Barcelona, Spain. The showing of Canadian poultry at the Barcelona Congress was so outstanding that the invitation extended by the Canadian Government to hold the next Congress in Canada was accepted, notwithstanding keen competition for the honor by other countries.

The Preliminary Announcement of the Third World's Poultry Congress has just been issued from headquarters at Ottawa. It is a very attractively prepared and illustrated booklet which will carry into all civilized countries not only the Congress announcement, but a better conception of Canada and things Canadian. The information contained is concise but complete, and the illustrations reflect the various aspects of Canadian life. Agriculture, naturally, plays a large part, but the scenic beauties of the country, and glimpses of its industrial and artistic development, have not been overlooked.

The Third World's Poultry Congress will be held at Ottawa, July 27th to August 4th, 1927. Full information may be obtained from the Minister of Agriculture in each Province, who is Chairman of the Congress Provincial Committee, or from Ernest Rhoades, Congress Secretary, Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

To Our Readers

The Journal will be glad to have the names of visitors in town and accounts of various social events, etc., for publication. Our phone No. is 209. If you have not a phone send it by mail, or hand it in to The Journal office. All communications mailed should be signed. Your co-operation in the matter of gathering news will be appreciated.

Pipe Band Concert Enjoyed

The sacred concert in the Grand Theatre last Sunday evening under the auspices of the McGillivray Pipe Band, was greatly enjoyed by a packed house. The program was one of the best ever rendered in Coleman.

Card of Thanks

Mrs. J. Barbour desires to thank her many friends for their kind expressions of sympathy and assistance rendered, during her recent sad bereavement.

Standings in 24th Week of Egg Laying Contest

Name	Week	Total	Eggs
Mrs. J. W. Cookson	58	716	
Lily White P. F.	52	600	
E. R. Nicholls	56	974	
Jasper Place P. F.	58	873	
Cloverlea Stk. F.	57	864	
B. W. Grand	53	527	
Pioneer P. F.	54	792	
Mrs. C. D. Mylins	58	700	
Laywell P. F.	45	610	
F. J. Taylor	54	805	
Round T. Hauch	48	648	
Alpine P.	55	789	
G. A. Bishop	37	441	
Lacombe Ex. Fm.	37	672	
W. W. Freeman	27	556	
E. Farquharson	30	310	
T. Kinivig	13	297	
F. Edwards	48	677	
M. Bolinger	34	430	
S. Coldwell	56	593	
T. Hutchinson	40	716	
G. Glawer	44	682	
H. G. L. Strange	40	813	
G. E. Harp	48	511	
H. Higginbotham	55	1066	
R. T. Van Amburg	42	746	
F. LOTE, HILLCREST	53	1138	
Leithbridge Ex. Fm.	49	1028	
P. J. Timma	27	317	

Here and There

Claims staked in the Red Lake gold mining field are keeping the recorder's office busy. Prospectors are of the belief that the area from Red Lake to the Manitoba boundary is promising and already many square miles of territory west of Red Lake has been staked.

During the eleven months ending February 28, the ordinary revenue of the Dominion was \$387,896,449 or an increase of twenty-nine millions over the sum of \$358,994,207 for the corresponding period of the previous year. Ordinary expenditure is about the same as a year ago. On February 28 last it totalled \$378,889,417.

Archie Gee, the good-natured chief on the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Asia, superintended the trans-Pacific voyage of 50,000 Canadian fish eggs from Vancouver, to Kobe. The shipment necessitated extremely careful handling. The eggs were packed in ice and had to be kept at an even temperature during the entire voyage.

Lord Allenby, conqueror of Palestine, was greeted by huge crowds on his arrival in Montreal in March. The leaders of the local militia were on hand to do homage to the famous general who placed a wreath on the monument to Canada's fallen soldiers in the Windsor Station. Viscount Allenby also spoke at the St. Denis Theatre.

The Dominion Experimental Farms system announces the introduction of a new and valuable variety of field peas which may mean to the field peas what Marquis has meant to the growers of wheat in the west. The new variety is a selection from a cross made at Ottawa between Mummy and Black Eye Marrowfat varieties.

Gross earnings of the Canadian Pacific Railway during 1925 amounted to \$183,356,006, as compared with \$182,502,156 in 1924, while working expenses last year totalled \$143,201,230 as compared with \$145,274,214 in 1924, leaving a balance, after deduction of fixed charges, of \$28,154,776 for 1925, as compared with \$22,654,955 in 1924.

In an interview in Montreal recently, E. W. Beatty, president and chairman of the Canadian Pacific Railway, said that the National Conference of Education, scheduled for April, would be of incalculable importance for the future of the Canadian people. Mr. Beatty is chairman of the Montreal Committee which undertook the organization and financing of the Conference.

Count Thun Hohnstein, one of the wealthiest men in Czechoslovakia, who arrived on the Canadian Pacific liner Montreal recently, is to purchase a large tract of land around Calgary. Count Hohnstein, owner of large properties in Czechoslovakia, is well versed in scientific methods of land reclamation. He is to verify reports concerning the great possibilities which await the right type of settler.

FIRE THREATENS OUR NATIONAL HERITAGE

Carelessness Destroys 3,000,000 acres annually of Canadian Forest

Loss of standing timber by fire continues to be appalling. On the average, over 3,500 million board feet are destroyed annually. The forests of Canada are being depleted at a rate they cannot possibly withstand; more than half of this depletion is due to fire, insects and decay. The future of the forest industry is just as dependent on the seedling trees and young growth as the pulp and paper and lumber mills, and industry generally, are dependent on mature timber—both must be saved from the ravages of fire.

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